

# EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the  
Northern District of Ohio

City of Albany, Georgia

*Plaintiff*

v.

AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation, et al.

*Defendant*

Civil Action No. 1:18-op-46337

WAIVER OF THE SERVICE OF SUMMONS

To: J. Burton LeBlanc, IV

*(Name of the plaintiff's attorney or unrepresented plaintiff)*

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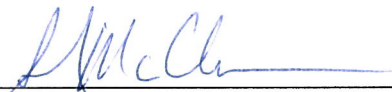
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Date: March 6, 2019

AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation

*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*



*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

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Date: 02/26/2019

Actavis Pharma, Inc. f/k/a Watson Pharma, Inc.

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*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

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Date: 02/26/2019Actavis LLC

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Date: 3/7/2019Allergan Finance, LLC f/k/a Actavis, Inc.  
f/k/a Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Printed name of party waiving service of summons

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Date: 3/5/2019Cardinal Health, Inc.

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Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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Date: 02/26/2019Cephalon, Inc.

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Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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Date: 4/3/2019

CVS Health Corporation

*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*



*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

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Date: 3/18/2019Endo Health Solutions Inc.

Printed name of party waiving service of summons

/s/ Sean Morris

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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Date:

3/15/19

INSYS Therapeutics, Inc.

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Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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Date: 3/1/2019

Johnson &amp; Johnson

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Stella D. Kim / SKK

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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Pharmaceuticals, Inc.  
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Stella D. Kim / SKK  
Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

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AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation, et al. )

Defendant )

Civil Action No. 1:18-op-46337

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Date: 3/1/2019

Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

Printed name of party waiving service of summons

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

Stella D. Kim

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Date:

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McKesson Corporation

*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*

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Date:

3/27/19

Mallinckrodt LLC

*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*



*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

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Date: 3/5/2019Noramco, Inc.

Printed name of party waiving service of summons



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Date: 3/1/2019

Ortho-McNeil-Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

n/k/a Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

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Date: 03/05/2019Purdue Pharma, Inc.; The Purdue Frederick  
Company, Inc.; Purdue Pharma LP

Printed name of party waiving service of summons

/s/ Hayden A. Coleman

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

Hayden A. Coleman

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# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the  
Northern District of Ohio

In re: National Prescription Opioid Litigation

*Plaintiff*

v.

Rite Aid of Maryland, Inc. et al.

*Defendant*

Civil Action No. 17-md-2804-DAP

This document applies to: See attached case list

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Date: 03/28/2019

Rite Aid of Maryland, Inc.

*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*



*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

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<b>Plaintiff</b>	<b>MDL Case No.</b>
County of Amador, California	1:18-op-46075
County of Tehama, California	1:18-op-45680
Bartow County, Georgia	1:19-op-45045
City of Albany, Georgia	1:18-op-46337
Laurens County, Georgia	1:18-op-45945
Lee County, Georgia	1:18-op-46171
Polk County, Georgia	1:19-op-45046
Union County, Georgia	1:18-op-46284-DAP
Commissioners of St. Mary's County, Maryland	1:18-op-46334
Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Maryland	1:18-op-46060
Branch County, Michigan	1:18-op-46096
Charter Township of Canton, City of Livonia, Charter Township of Northville, City of Romulus, Charter Township of Van Buren, City of Wayne, and Charter Township of Huron, Michigan	1:18-op-46134
Charter Township of Clinton, Michigan	1:18-op-46135
County of Eaton, Michigan	1:18-op-45971
County of Muskegon, Michigan	1:18-op-46199
Plains Township, Pennsylvania	1:18-op-46215



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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Date: 02/26/2019

Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc.

*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*



*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

Evan K. Jacobs

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Date: 3/24/2019Walmart Inc. or Wal-Mart Stores East, LP

Printed name of party waiving service of summons

/s/ Tara A. Fumerton

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

Tara A. Fumerton

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Date: 02/26/2019

Watson Laboratories, Inc.  
*Printed name of party waiving service of summons*

  
*Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party*

Evan K. Jacobs

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